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TO : Acting Deputy Director (Support)

DATE: 19 July 1957

FROM : Comptroller

SUBJECT: PRC Action No. DD/I-330-57 and DD/I-331-57

You requested me to review PRC Actions No. DD/I-330-57 and No. DD/I-331-57, which had been approved by Mr. [REDACTED] for the Deputy Director for Intelligence. This question has been discussed with Mr. [REDACTED] who advises that no authority had been given to him for approval of such projects. He also indicated that he had only signed two or three projects of \$1,000 or less in instances where the DD/I was not immediately available and he was aware that approval had been agreed to. Regardless of these facts, it was indicated that until such time as specific authority is granted to him, it is doubtful whether such actions should be taken in the future. He agreed that such projects would not be signed by him unless specific authority to do so is granted by the DD/I.

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